# **BookletChart**

# Captains Bay

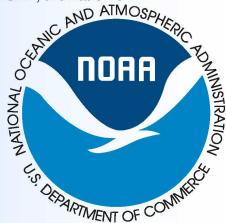
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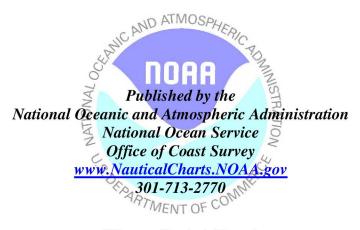


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# What are Nautical Charts?

Nautical charts are a fundamental tool of marine navigation. They show water depths, obstructions, buoys, other aids to navigation, and much more. The information is shown in a way that promotes safe and efficient navigation. Chart carriage is mandatory on the commercial ships that carry America's commerce. They are also used on every Navy and Coast Guard ship, fishing and passenger vessels, and are widely carried by recreational boaters.

# What is a BookletChart<sup>™</sup>?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

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# **Notice to Mariners Correction Status**

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.



# [Coast Pilot 9, Chapter 7 excerpts]

(273) **Captains Bay** is the arm at the head of Unalaska Bay. Its entrance from Unalaska Bay direct is W of Amaknak Island. The bay is also entered, as previously indicated, by passing E of Amaknak Island through Iliuliuk Harbor, and through the channel leading S from the harbor.

(274) The entrance to Captains Bay W of Amaknak Island is marked by **Arch Rock Light 3A**, 15 feet (4.6 m) high, adjacent to the point 0.8 mile from the S extremity of the

island. Directly opposite Arch Rock is a bold point marking the W side of the entrance. A reef extends 220 yards channelward from the bold point, and from the reef a bar of 5 to 8 fathoms extends to a point nearly three-quarters of the distance across the entrance toward Arch Rock. Large vessels in entering should pass about 100 to 200 yards off Arch Rock as the deepwater channel will be found at those distances.

(275) A wharf about 200 yards long with reported depths of 6 to 8 fathoms alongside is on the E side of the bay about 1.7 miles below Arch Rock. The wharf is owned by Crowley Maritime/Pacific Pioneer. Fuel and water are available. In March 1982, unexploded ordnance was reported about 40 feet seaward of the wharf; vessels are advised not to use anchors in this area.

(276) Anchorage may be had in 17 to 20 fathoms, even bottom of mud and sand, about 0.4 mile E of the northernmost island of the group at the head of Captains Bay. In approaching this anchorage favor the E shore to avoid Swallow Reef and the shoal to the S, which is NE and E of the northernmost island. A reef extends 150 yards from the E shore about abreast of Swallow Reef. A buoy is about 200 yards NE of Swallow Reef. Small craft may obtain secure shelter in 9 fathoms, sand and mud bottom, at **Port Levashef**, E of the most S of the larger islands. (277) Hog Island, 300 feet high, is off the W side of Amaknak Island in Unalaska Bay. Foul ground, marked by a lighted buoy, extends nearly 0.5 mile N of Hog Island. The reef that extends 0.3 mile from the N point, a part of the foul ground, has numerous rock ledges jutting up from the rocky bottom. Clear passage exists between Hog Island and Amaknak Island. Favor Amaknak Island to avoid a 31/4 fathom shoal, that is 600 yards NE of the S end of Hog Island. A large, thick kelp patch, marked by a lighted buoy on its SW end, is S of Hog Island and should be avoided.

(278) **Nateekin Bay**, on the SW side of Unalaska Bay, affords good anchorage, except for NE winds, for small craft in 3 to 4 fathoms, 490 yards E of the head of the middle bight on the NW shore. A shoal area covered 1 fathom is SE of this anchorage.

## HEIGHTS

Heights in feet above Mean High Water.

#### CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Notice to Mariners.

# SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 9 for important supplemental information.

# Mercator Projection Scale 1:10,000 at Lat. 53°52'

# North American Datum of 1983 (World Geodetic System 1984)

# SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER

### AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to

#### BADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed on many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.



Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and submarine cables may exist within the area of this chart. Not all submarine pipelines and submarine cables are required to be buried, and those that were originally buried may have become exposed. Mariners should use extreme caution when operating vessels in depths of water comparable to their draft in areas where pipelines and cables may exist, and when anchoring, dragging, or trawling.

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# POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot for details.

# HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83) and for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 must be corrected an average of 3.109" southward and 6.804" westward to agree with this chart.

# NOTE A

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Navigation regulations are published in Chapter 2, U.S.
Coast Pilot 9. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are
published in the Notices to Mariners. Information
concerning the regulations may be obtained at the Office
of the Commander, 17th Coast Guard District in Juneau, Alaska me Commander, 17th Coast Guard District in Juneau, Alaska or at the Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers in Anchorage, Alaska. Refer to charted regulation section numbers.

# UPDATING SERVICE

FOR THIS CHART, a listing of NOTICE TO MARINERS corrections subsequent to the date shown in the lower left hand corner is available from the Chief, Marine Chart Division (NCS2), National Ocean Service, NOAA, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910 - 3282

The contour lines are hill shapes, sketched to afford the navigator a generalized indication of the character of the land forms. They should not be relied upon as lines of equal elevation.

AUTHORITIES
Hydrography and topography by the National Ocean Service,
Coast Survey with additional data from the Corps of Engineers,
U.S Coast Guard and Defense Mapping Agency.

# SOURCE DIAGRAM

The outlined areas represent the limits of the most recent hydrographic survey information that has been evaluated for charting. Charted hydrography may originate from these and prior surveys.

# **Table of Selected Chart Notes**

COLREGS, 80.1705 (see note A)
International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972.
The entire area of this chart falls seaward of the COLREGS Demarcation Line.

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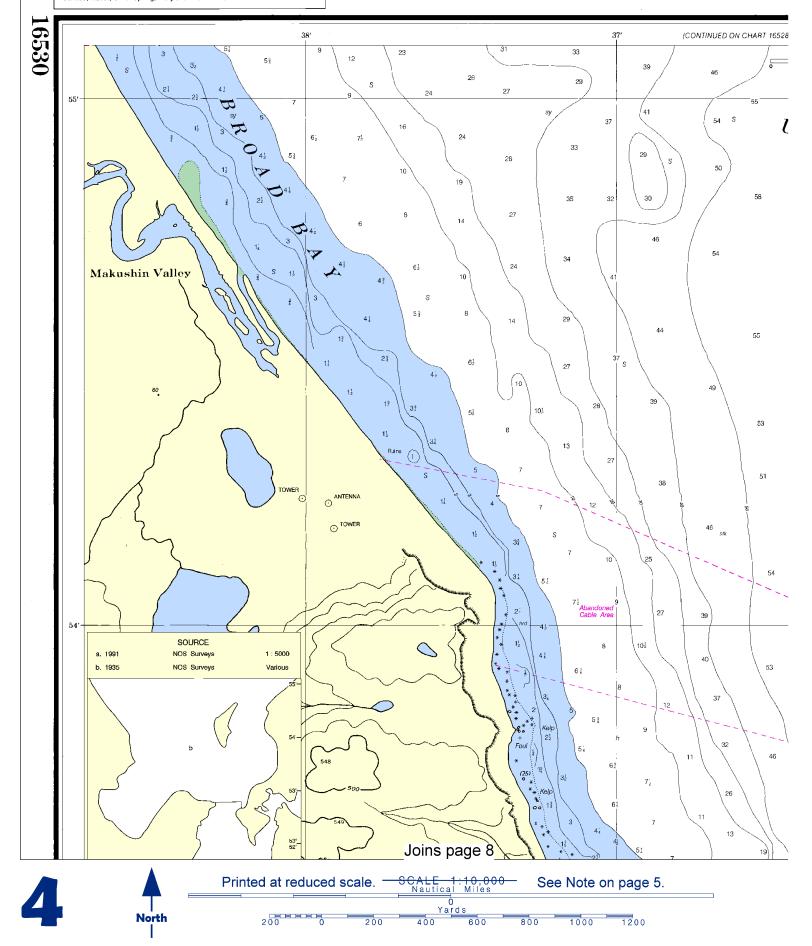
ABBREVIATIONS (For complete list of Symbols and Abbreviations, see Chart No. 1.)
Aids to Navigation (lights are white unless otherwise indicated): G green Mo morse code R TR radio tower AERO aeronautical Al alternating B black Bn beacon IQ interrupted quick N nun Rot rotating N nun
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Or orange
Q quick
R red
Ra Ref radar reflector s seconds LT HO lighthouse M nautical mile m minutes SEC sector St M statute miles C can
DIA diaphone
F fixed
FI flashing VQ very quick W white WHIS whistle MICRO TR microwave tower Mkr marker R Bn radiobeacon Bottom characteristics: Blds boulders bk broken Cy clay Co coral Oys oysters Rk rock S sand so soft Sh shells sy sticky Miscellaneous: AUTH authorized Obstn obstruction PD position doubtful Subm submerged ED existence doubtful PA position approximate Ps position adouting 21. Wreck, rock, obstruction, or shoal swept clear to the depth indicated.

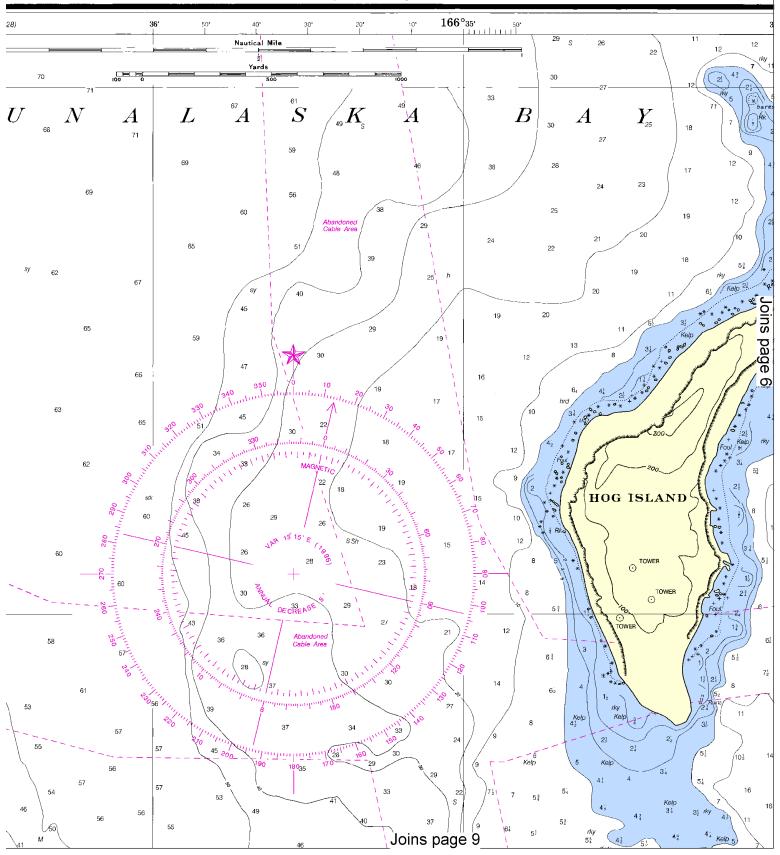
(2) Rocks that cover and uncover, with heights in feet above datum of soundings.

# TIDAL INFORMATION

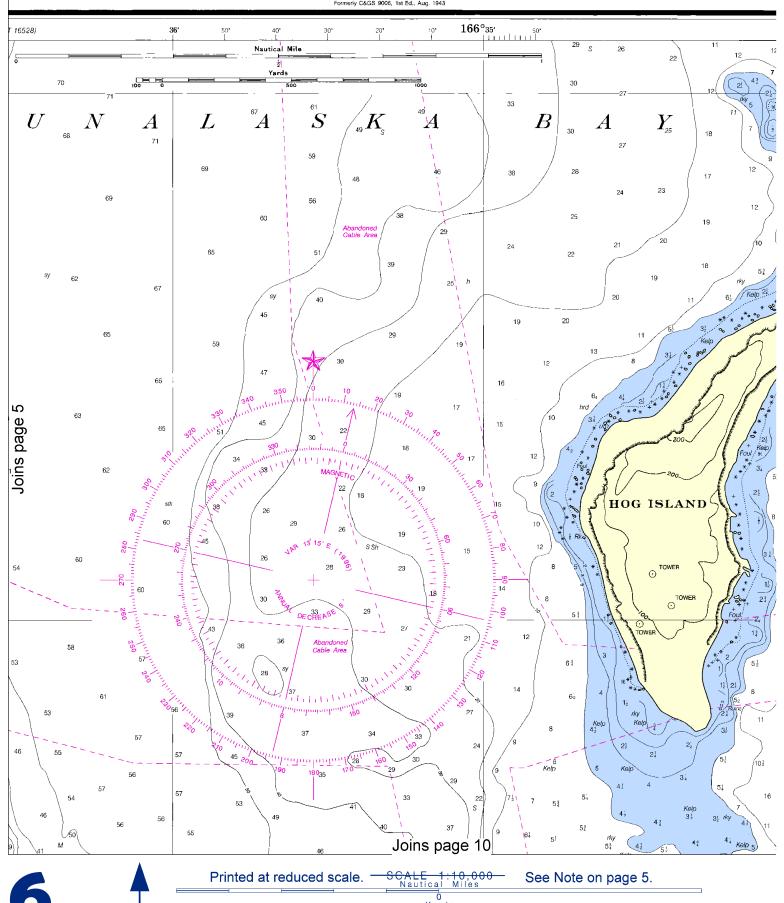
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Name	(Lat/Long)	Mean Higher High Water	Mean High Water	Mean Low Water	Extreme Low Water
Unalaska	(53°53'N/166°32'W)	feet 3.7	feet 3.4	feet 1.2	feet -2.5
Dutch Harbor	(53°54'N / 166°32'W)	3.7	3.4	1.2	-2.5

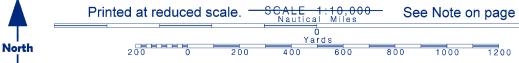
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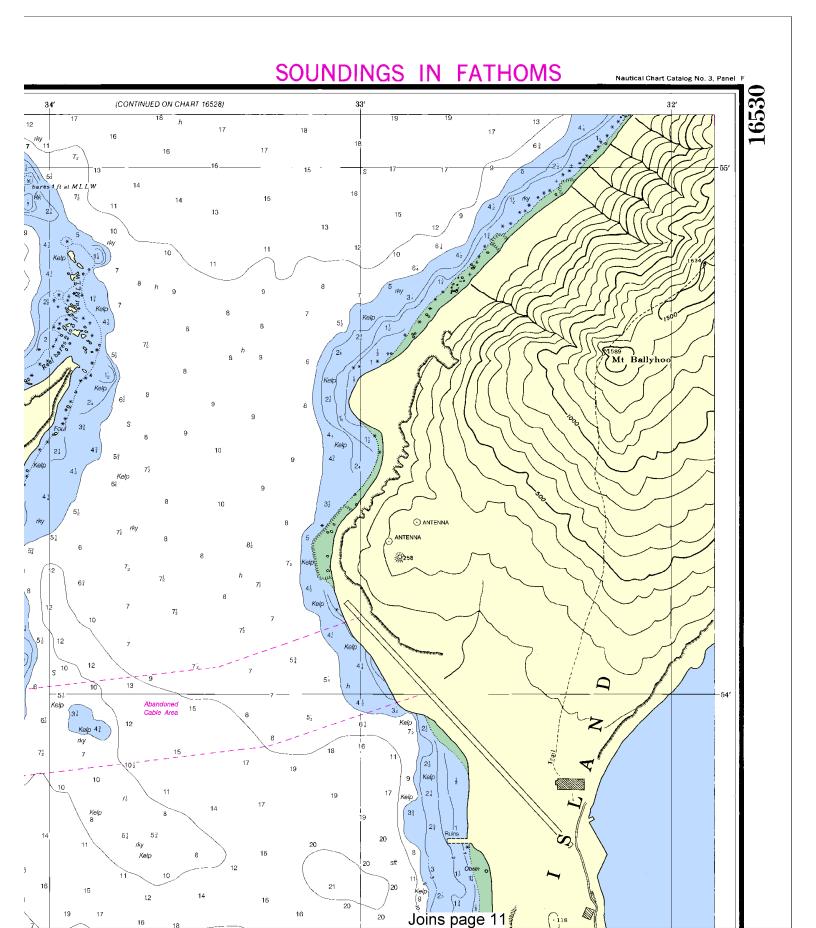




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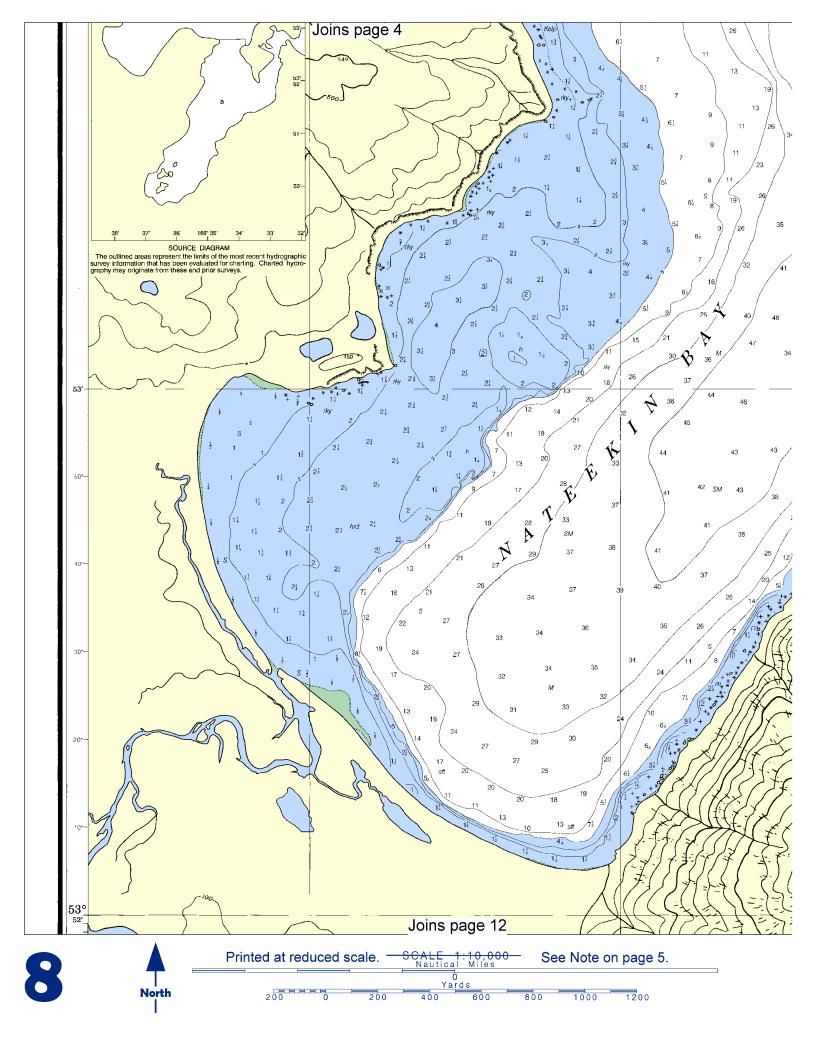


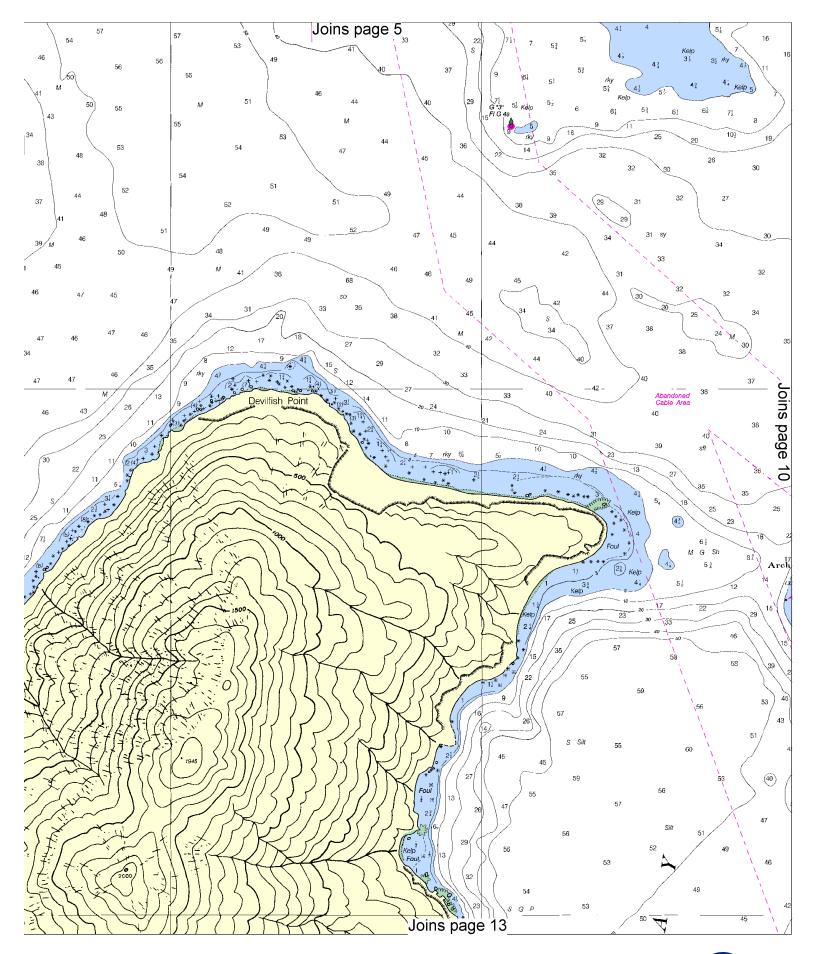


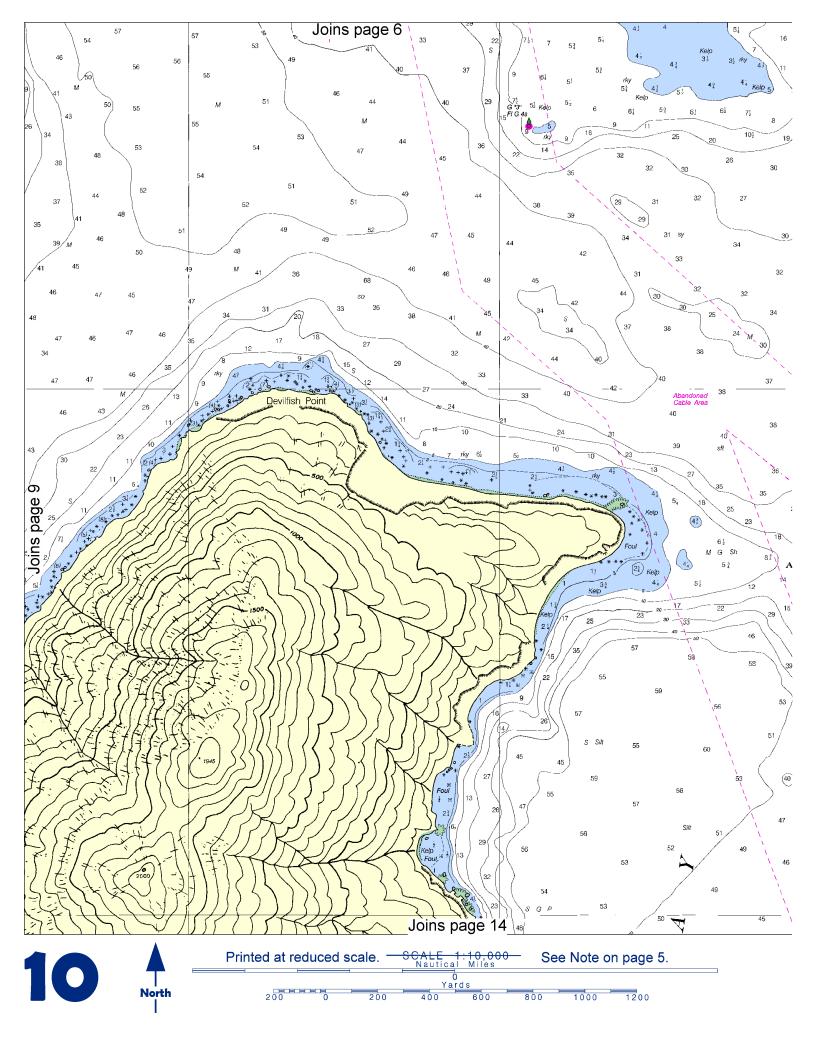


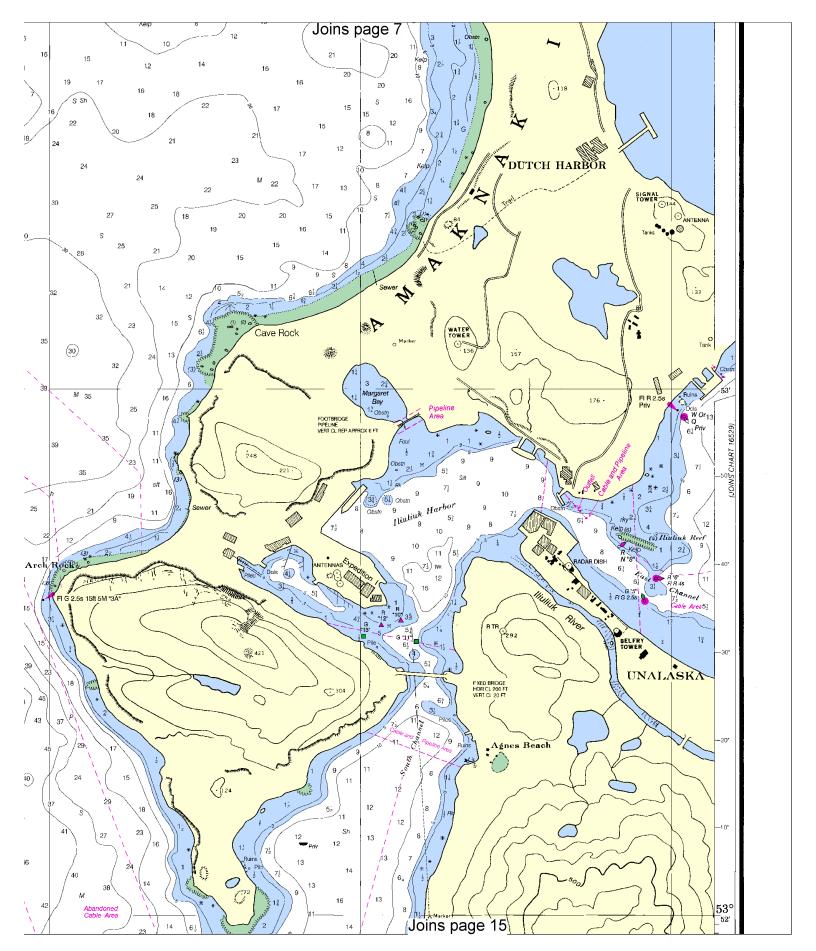


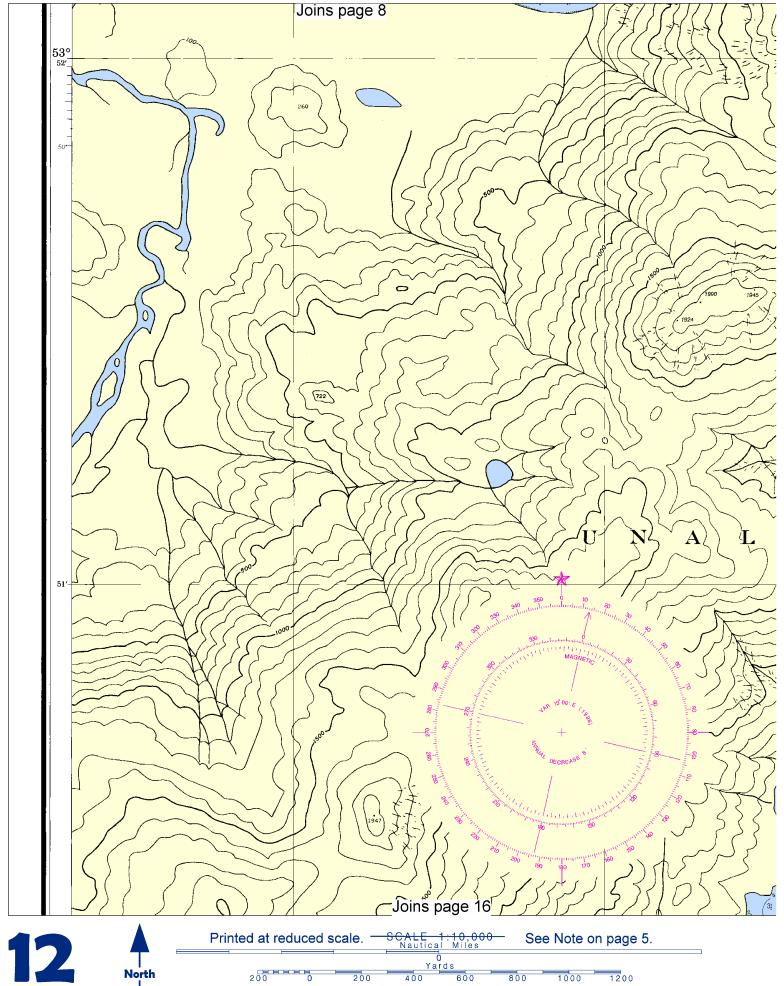




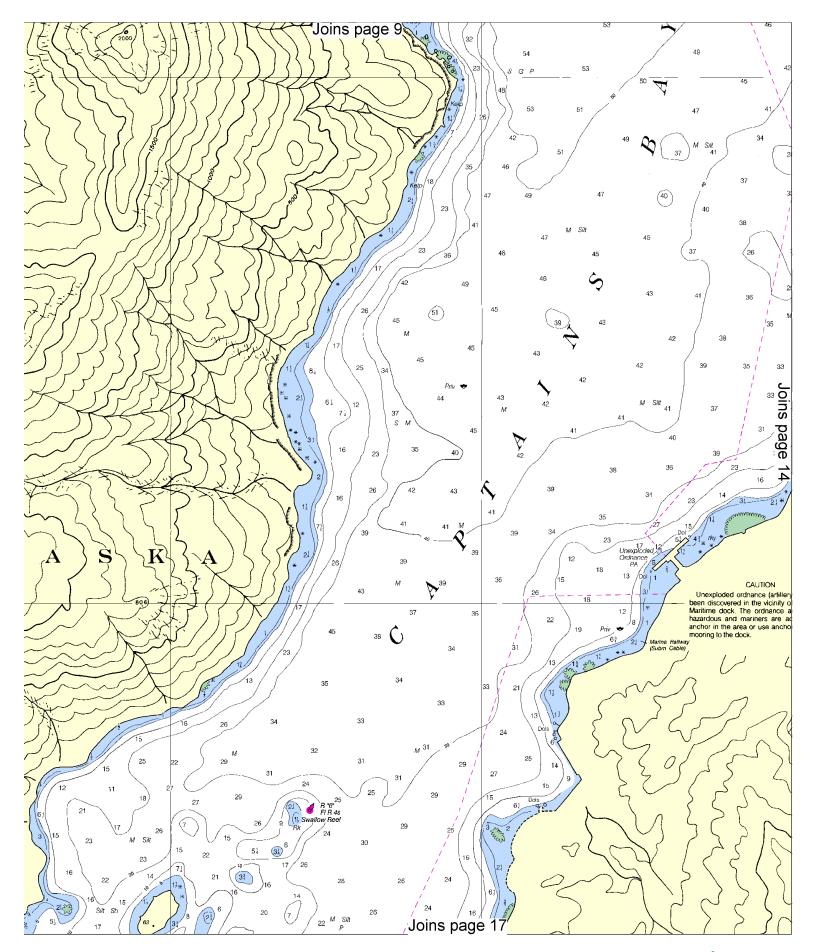


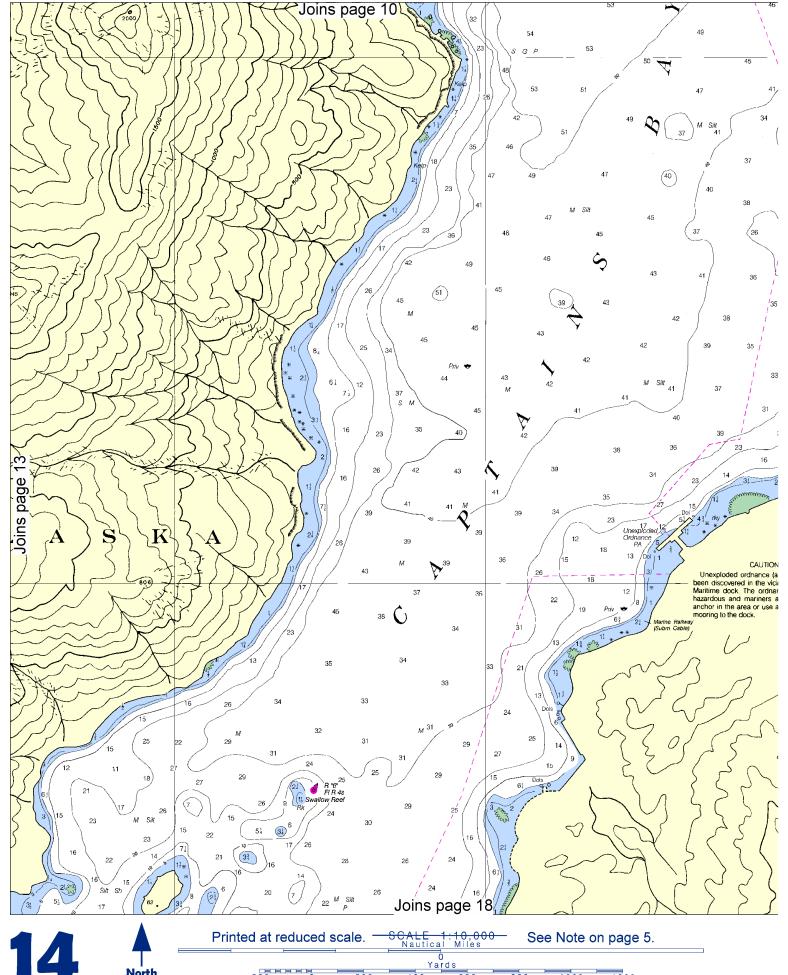


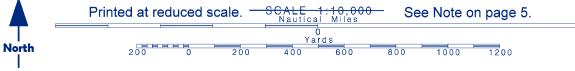


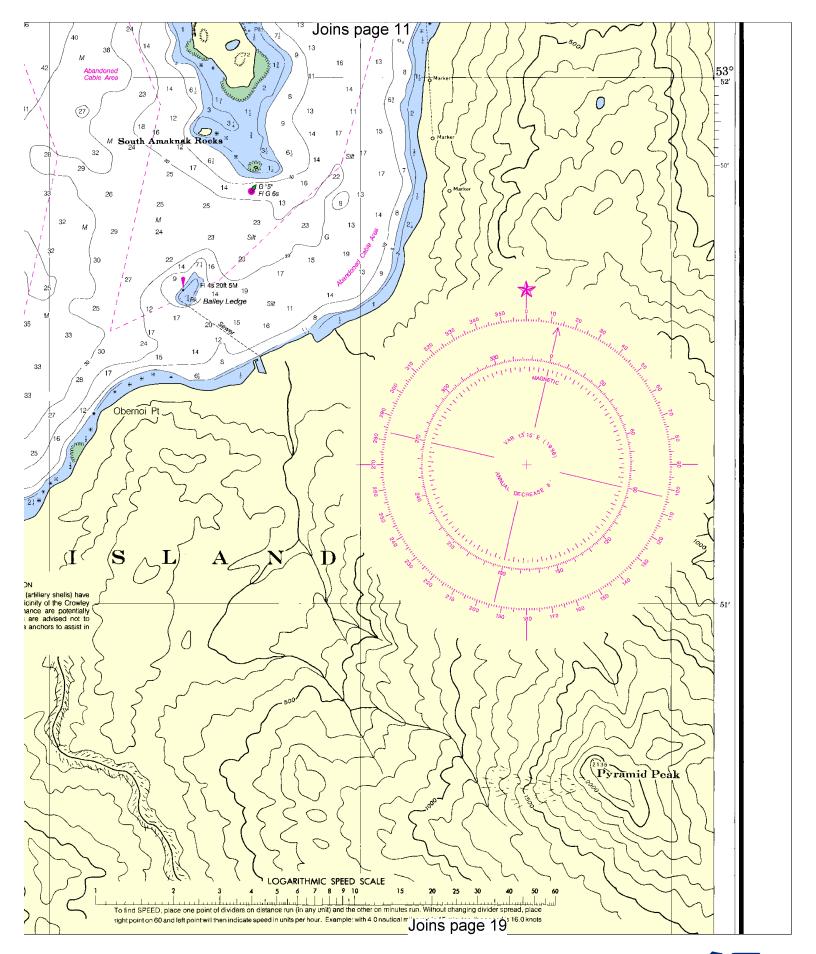


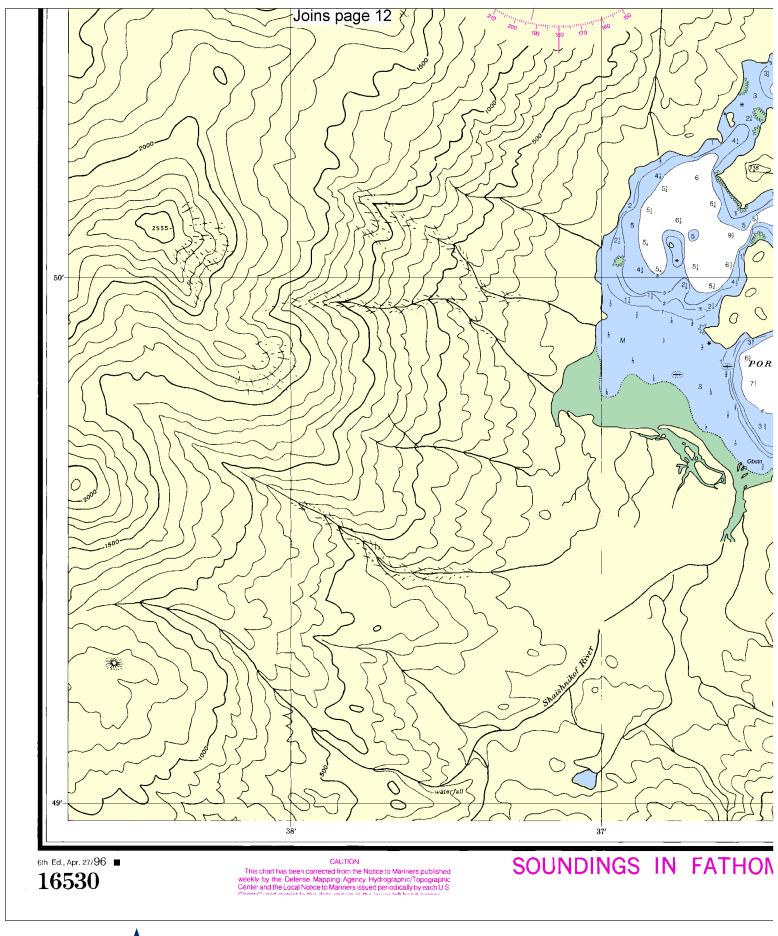
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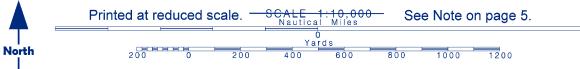


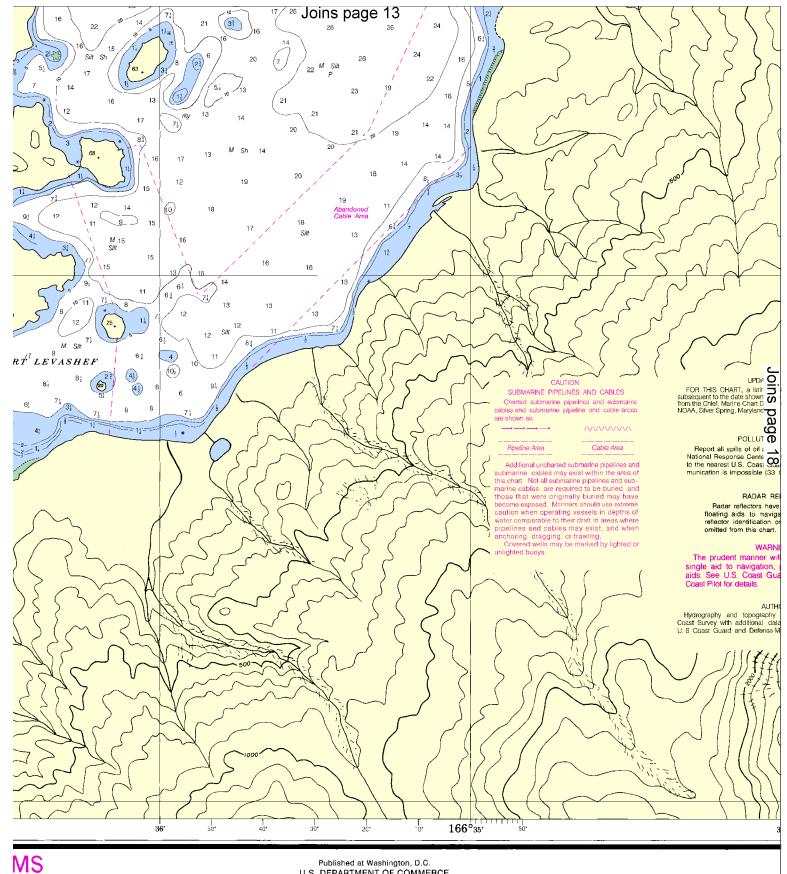




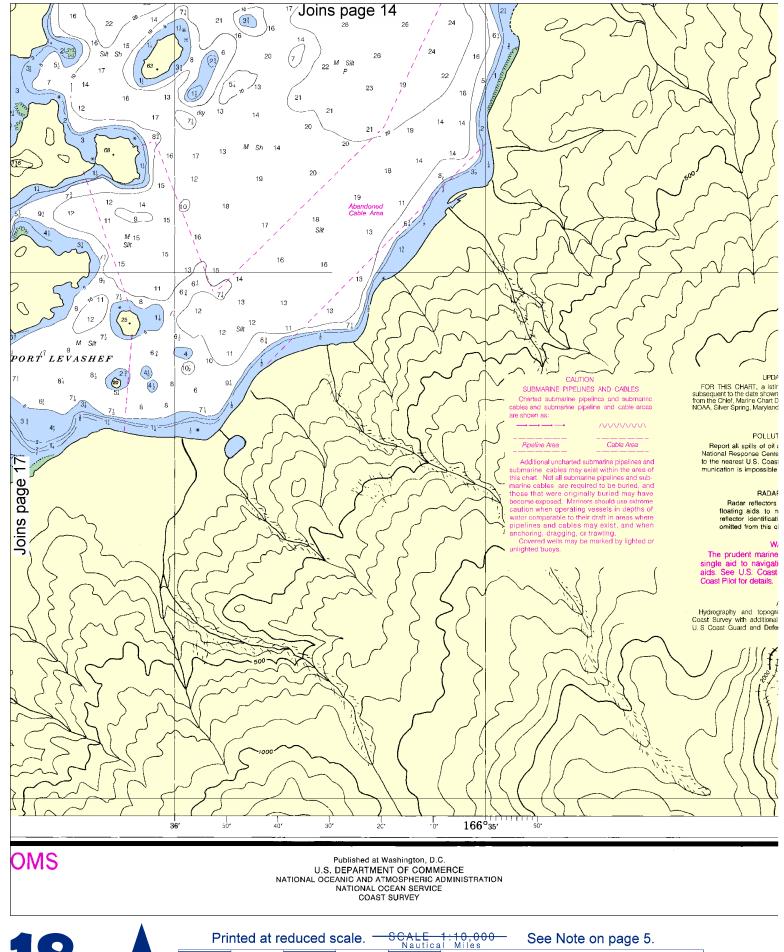




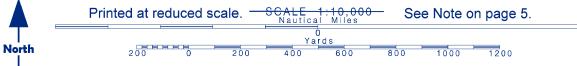


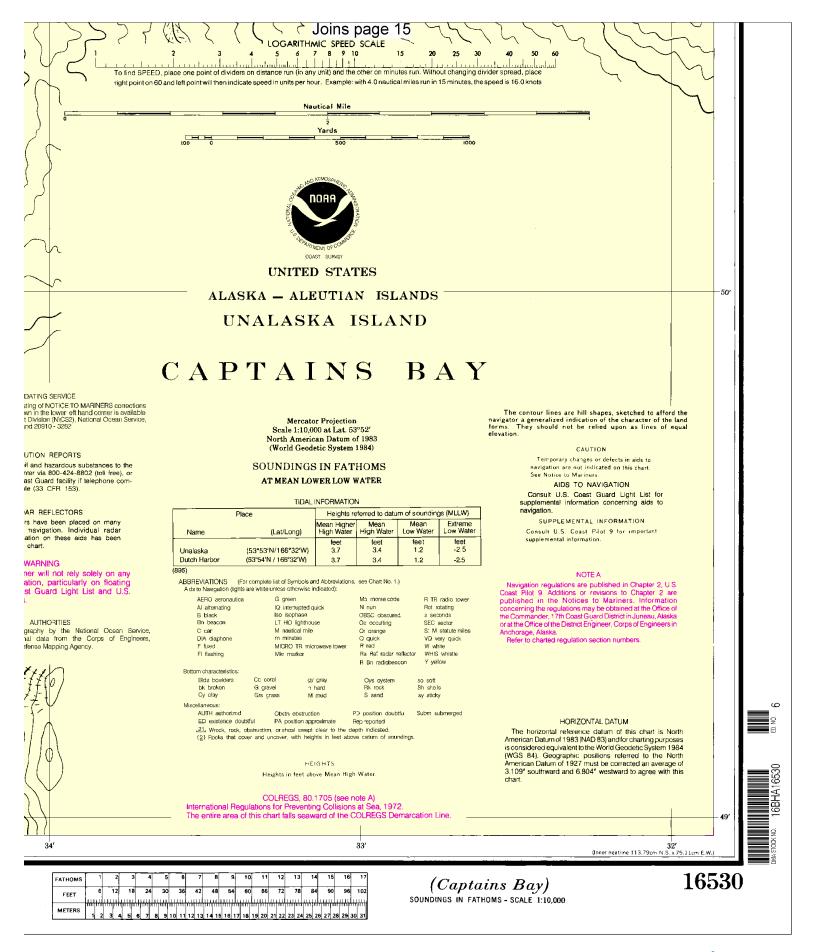


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# VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

**Channel 9** – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

**Channel 13** – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

# Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls

to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

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# **Distress Call Procedures**

- 1. Make sure radio is on.
- 2. Select Channel 16.
- 3. Press/Hold the transmit button.
- 4. Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- 6. Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY Call.

# HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!!

# **Mobile Phones** – Call 911 for water rescue.

Coast Guard Search & Rescue (Pacific Coord) – 510-437-3700

Coast Guard Search & Rescue (RCC Juneau) – 907-463-2000

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